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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:)
Richard Humpleman, et al.) Examiner: William L. Bashore
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For: Method and Apparatus for a Home) Group Art Unit: 2176
Network Auto-Tree Builder)
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Application No.: 10/603,363) Reply to Office Action
) Dated March 15, 2006
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) Irvine, California 92612

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION OF MARCH 15, 2006

MS Amendment
Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby responds to the Office Action of March 15, 2006, in the above-referenced patent application. Re-examination, re-consideration and allowance of all claims is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks. New matter is not added.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.